

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Amusements Today. CORDELL'S THEATER (Washington Street) "The King of the Optum Ring." METROPOLITAN THEATER (Third Street) "The King of the Optum Ring." FUNERAL OF H. E. BATTIN.—The funeral of H. E. Battin will be held this afternoon at 2:30 from his late residence on Base Line road near Wiberg lane, Mount Taber. The services will be held at the house under the auspices of the G. A. R. Interment will be at Lone Fir cemetery, where the A. O. U. W. will have charge. The following will act as honorary pallbearers: Senator George W. McBride; Colonel David M. Dunne; Captain H. E. Edwards; M. G. Hall; H. C. Eckenberger; J. W. Wright. The active pallbearers, from the ranks of the Grand Lodge, A. O. U. W., will be as follows: R. L. Durham, George H. Durham; R. L. Durham, H. D. Ransdell, A. J. Marshall, F. M. Cohn.

TWO NEW BRANDS.

Hart & Murphy's Cigars Are Now Handled by Handley & Co. The best cigar obtainable is none too good for Handley's customers, and he is now sole agent in Portland for the La Flor de El Firma, a clear Havana cigar, manufactured by Hart & Murphy. Handley has just received 10,000 of this celebrated brand, and rest of a good smoke will be more than satisfied after trying one. It is one of the most popular cigars amongst connoisseurs of the weed in the large Eastern cities. Customers can secure this brand by the box at wholesale prices. Handley has also secured the Duke of Parma, a high-grade domestic cigar manufactured by Hart & Murphy. These goods will be sold in boxes at wholesale prices. Remember to call today at the Cut Rate Cigar and News Stand, J. F. Handley & Co., proprietors, Perkins Hotel building.

WHERE TO DINE.

By all means go to the Portland restaurant, 306 Washington, near Fifth. Coffee, meats, dairy products, etc., are the best. The general public rarely sees the kitchen of a large restaurant. Few instances this "ignorance is bliss." But there are exceptions. An inspection of the extensive kitchen connected with Watson's restaurant by a representative of The Oregonian was a revelation. Few realize their magnitude, completeness and perfect equipment. No hotel or restaurant in the Pacific Northwest has more perfect cooking facilities than Watson's. The kitchen of each department is absolutely perfect, and the most scrupulous cleanliness is maintained everywhere. Only the very choicest meats, poultry, game, butter and cream are served, and they reach the table in perfect condition. One cannot go through the kitchen without becoming hungry. Everything is as neat and clean and appetizing in the kitchen as on the table. Every article has its place on the table. Thanksgiving time. It is all the result of neatness and care. And it means appetizing, enjoyable meals. At E. House's restaurant, 128 Third, the service is perfect, and every article set before you is the best obtainable. Eat and cream from our own ranch. Oysters and clams fresh daily. Chicken dinner, complete, 2c. Strouse's Cafe, 229 Washington, between First and Second. White table only.

H. B. LITT.

Following garments are exclusively shown by me: Correct velvet jackets, box coats, golf capes, dress and commonsense coats, evening suits and jackets, ties, silk and real French flannel waists, and young ladies' suits; all are exclusive in my establishment. Better value and more correctly made, finished, and trimmed than any house this side of New York offers. Orders filled C. O. D. on receipt of a deposit and measurement. This week my complete stock will all be in. Customers who have been waiting will take notice; also will note that new accounts are opened with reliable parties on 60 days' charging. H. B. LITT.

GAS SHUT OFF.

Gas will be shut off from East Portland between 10 and 11 A. M. today while making connection with the submerged pipe line. PORTLAND GAS COMPANY.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Ordway desire to express their appreciation of the many kindnesses shown them in their recent bereavement, and to especially thank the pupils of the Holiday school for the beautiful floral tribute to the memory of Earl.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy extended in the late bereavement of my beloved husband. MRS. T. K. WILLIAMS.

Jacob Doll Upright Piano.

The latest improved. Acknowledged to be best sold on easy installments. Pianos rented, tuned and repaired at lowest prices. H. Sinsheimer, 72 Third. Established 1882.

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Scientific fitting, high-grade goods, reasonable prices. 35 Washington building.

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A swell line of 3-piece suits, nicely trimmed, newest shades \$3.45

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Ahead of All

THE SUPREMACY OF KIMBALL PIANOS

Is in part the result of many inventions which are protected by United States letters patent. More than 50 valuable improvements are thus secured, notably among them being the brass pin-block covering in the piano and the arched iron brace and steel strings, permitting of a continuous bridge. Now comes an important device in the piano action whereby the old wooden hammer and damper flanges are replaced with the Kimball patent combined flange of brass, which prevents loosening or wobbling of hammers and dampers, and is not affected by changes of atmosphere. Piano-tuners and regulators, in commenting on this great Kimball achievement, SAY IT THIS WAY:

"Replaces the old wooden flanges to hammers and dampers." "Makes it impossible for hammers and dampers to get loose." "Surely the greatest improvement of the age in piano actions." "Entirely prevents wobbling of hammers, caused by loose center pins; sluggishness, caused by extreme dampness, or loosening of flanges, caused by extreme dryness." "Will save much expense attached to other actions the world over." These opinions more fully establish the title of sovereignty already bestowed upon the KIMBALL by World's Columbian Congress and master musicians of the present age.

PIANO BARGAINS

Genuine Snags in Good Standard-Made Pianos. We would like to have you come and see our large new store, whether you buy or not. We want you to know where we have moved to. 125 to 128 Sixth street, and we make genuine inducements for you to come and see us by offering the following amazingly low prices. Some of these pianos are way below cost—to some dealers:

- 1 small Fischer..... \$75
1 Chase light-case upright..... 85
1 Harrington, dark case..... 110
1 Kingsbury, oak case (large)..... 135
1 Dunham, very fine..... 140
1 Kingsbury, oak case..... 155
1 Cameron, oak case (large)..... 165
1 Decker, very large..... 175
1 Fischer, oak case..... 185
1 Walcott, case finished..... 200
1 Emerson, oak case..... 175
All have full iron frames, real ivory keys, the best piano wire, fine actions and the best tone. The cases are plain and some not quite up to date, but are in fine condition. Some can scarcely be told from new ones. Remember, a good piano slightly used is much better than a "cheap John" new one. If you do not care to buy now, rent one at \$3 or \$5.50 for a few months, then if you are pleased with the piano you can buy.

GRAVES & CO., 122-124-126 . . . Sixth Street Pianos for rent, \$3 per month.

The Curio Store D. M. Averill & Co. 331 Morrison St.

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C. C. NEWCASTLE DENTIST.. Marquam Building - Room 302

Music! Good Music! Slathers of It! Commenting on a recent concert, the Pittsburg Times says: "It is well known how beautifully the Pianola will render the most difficult piano music, even under the hands of an unskilled and untaught person; but Mr. Parkyn's performances showed that there are practically no limitations to the magnificent effects to be produced by it. In fact, it lends itself immediately and sensibly to the sentiment and skill of the most accomplished and exacting musician."

M. B. WELLS, Northwest Agent for the Aeolian Company Aeolian Hall, 353-355 Washington Street, cor. Park, Portland, Or. We are sole agents for the Pianola. It is exhibited only at our warehouses.

Four items of interest

There's a profound pleasure in writing these trade invitations for this store, from the fact that we can do so much better for you than we can tell you—the reality here is better than your expectations. Somebody says "an ounce of satisfaction is worth a ton of talk." We guarantee satisfaction.

READ OF THESE VALUES FROM THE FOUR-DEPARTMENTS AND THEN VISIT US

A business suit Made in newest sack style, of dependable worsted fabric, nobby pin-head check pattern. High-cut six-button vest. Best Princess lining. We guarantee a perfect fit. \$15

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A fashionable hat Latest shapes in Fedoras and low crowns, in shades of pearl, hazel, nutria, brown and black. We think—in fact, we know—that these hats are not excelled anywhere else for intrinsic value. Our price, \$2.50

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